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In re Application of

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Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

The original claims that form the basis of this U.S. national stage application for the purpose of examination and amendment are the claims of the International application, as originally filed.

Please make the following amendments to this application prior to examination thereof.